

Sealed Tenders.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH, Honolulu, Nov. 20, 1888.

Sealed Tenders will be received at the office of the Board of Health until FRIDAY, November 30, 1888, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the erection of a Residence for the Superintendent at the Leper Settlement on Molokai.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Board.

The Board does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any bid.

W. G. ASHLEY, -153-td Secretary.

THE DAILY

Pacific Commercial

Be just and fear not; Let all the ends thou aim'st at be Thy Country's, thy God's, and Truth's.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1888.

The advantages of tree culture have been shown on a small scale in this country, but there has been no sustained effort as yet made by our legislature or by our public men to bring the forests of these islands under systematic management. The subject has occupied the attention of all civilized Governments throughout the world, and the "willful waste" which has produced "woeful want" is in many places a thing of the past. In British India especial attention has been given to the subject, and the efforts made there have been crowned with success. In that country for the year 1886-7 a net revenue, after paying all expenses, of 41,017,000 rupees was obtained from the forests, and it must be remembered that twenty years ago there was no revenue at all, and that the country was being slowly denuded of its forests. Now there is this large revenue, and the forest land is yearly improving in value.

No one who travels about these islands can fail to be struck at the gradual failure of the forests. Those of us who have known the group for twenty or thirty years have seen for ourselves the extinction of large tracts of forest lands. Various causes have been at work. The forests have not all been destroyed by cattle, though undoubtedly cattle have done their share; but the plantations have carried off large quantities to their furnaces, and there has been reckless cutting by Chinese contractors.

Forests, such as we have here, if properly looked after, should have amply supplied the wants of manufacturers and those of all households. But to go on recklessly cutting as has obtained in the past, and to make no effort to supply the place of the cut timber, is living on our capital, and some day we shall awake to a thorough bankruptcy in timber. It is all very well to say the "forests will last our time; what do we care so long as we can get what we want." We have our duty as a state, and it is the duty of each generation to hand on the country to those who come after it in a better condition than when taken in charge by the men now in their maturity. This realizing of the duties of citizenship is one of the hardest lessons for men to learn. We trust the lesson will be learned with regard to Hawaiian forests before the next session of the Legisla-

Since the departure of the Australia on Tuesday of last week, there has been a great deal of sharp criticism heard about town, based upon the apparent fact that a delinquent debtor had been able to snap his fingers at his creditors, and sail serenely away under the protection of a Foreign Office passport. The case as commonly stated and understood seeming to be one which required explanation, we have taken the trouble to inquire into the facts, and find them to be as follows. Section 453 of the Civil Code reads: "The Minister of Foreign Affairs may issue passports to all ministers, diplomatic agents, and consuls of the King, sent abroad, and to consuls and other commercial agents of foreign governments, and to all subjects of the Kingdom going abroad, who may desire the same." In accordance with the provisions of this section, Mr. Graenhalgh, who by receiving letters of denization was invested with all the rights of a subject of the Kingdom, applied at the Foreign Office for a passport, be of material advantage to him in the business upon which he was going abroad. The transaction being perfectly legal, and there being no reason for refusing, it was promised that the passport should be issued. Before it was actually delivered, however, a protest in due form was filed with the Foreign Minister by one of Mr. Graenhalzh's creditors, and accordingly, when that gentleman called cr sent for his passport, he was told that he could not have it. About half an hour before the time advertised for the sailing of the steamer, Mr. G. came to the Foreign Office, accompanied by the attorney of the party on whose behalf the protest had

there, on behalf of his clients, withdrew the same. The Minister then communicated with the Custom House, and learning that there was no legal protest or objection to be found on the records of the latter place, the passport was delivered to the applicant. Finally, the Foreign Minister was on the wharf up to the sailing of the steamer, and was prepared, even then, to recall and cancel the passport, had any person having a right to object to Mr. Graenhalgh's departure, made formal application to that effect. We know nothing about the departed tradesman and his business affairs, beyond what is known to the public generally. In view, however, or the above described facts, which we suppose can be easily verified, it seems quite certain that, whatever the general impression may have been, his creditors have no just ground of complaint against either the Foreign Office or the Custom House.

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the statements made, or opinions expressed by our correspondents.

"Boss Rule."

MR. EDITOR: A communication with the above heading appeared in the Bulletin of Nov. 24, signed "Aloha," and dated at Hamakua. The writer is evidently unacquainted with American "machine politics," or with the technical meaning of the term "boss."

The modern "boss" is the latest product of the spoils system of politics, and is found in perfection in the slums of the great cities. Wherever an ignorant or corrupt voting population exists, there is the favorite field of the "boss," and the "saloon" is his natural ally. The "carpet-bagger" is simply a travelling candidate for the position.

The theory of the boss is that government is an organization for the purpose of extracting money from tax payers' pockets for the benefit of professional politicians. Public office is not a public trust, but a reward for partisan service. The familiar phrases, "the loaves and fishes," "the public crib," etc., express this degraded view of the subject. A party is not a union of citizens who are agreed on certain great principles, and wish to have them put in practice, but a combination for the purpose of capturing the public treasury, held together by the "cohesive power of public plunder," and controlled by an inner ring of wire-pullers, directed by the boss.

The boss is not a statesman, nor an orator, nor necessarily a party leader in the ordinary sense. The term has nothing to do with the ascendancy gained in fair and legitimate ways by men who are superior in ability or sagacity to the average. But the boss knows how to pack primaries, how to control nominating conventions, and how to trade votes and combine together all the different elements of corruption in support of his ticket. He may not hold public office, but nevertheless would-be candidates and contractors have to pay him blackmail.

Now it is true that this advanced product of modern civilization has not yet been fully naturalized here, notwithstanding the tempting field offered for it. We had a taste of boss rule during the five years preceding June 30, '87, and its ideal of government was largely adopted in certain quarters. Fortunately, however, the machine was imperfectly constructed, and badly engineered, so that it broke down, very much as "carpet bag" government did in Sonth Carolina But we should remember that "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty," and the very means devised to preserve it are too often turned into the instruments of slavery, and that too in the much-abused name of the "People."

REFORM.

Guava Jelly.

Mr. Editor:-Some weeks ago I saw an article in your paper recommending the manufacture of guava jelly as an industry for these Islands. I commenced making jelly myself in 1884, thinking to raise by this means a little money for my church and schools. Perhaps the following may be of use to anyone about to enter into the business.

The prices quoted are the net cost in Kona, after paying freight and carriage: 1-lb. tins made in Honolulu, including boxes, each 916 cents; 1-lb. tins made in San Francisco, including boxes, 612 cents. Cube sugar by the box, per lb. 12c. (in 1884). Dry granulated sugar by the bbl. per lb. 71 c. (in 1886). I use 114 lbs. of sugar to 1 lb. of guava juice; and I can put up in two days, when the fruit is plentiful, 8 dozen tins; gathering and cooking the fruit, one day; straining during the night, and cooking the juice

with sugar, and canning, the next day. I consider, when fruit is plentiful and sugar at its lowest, I can put the jelly into the market (in the San Francisco tins) at \$2.75 per dozen in cases of four tozens, leaving a margin of about 25 per cent. for profit and loss. At first I asked \$3.75 per dozen but I have reduced the price to \$2.75, by the case, and I wish to sell out. I have now about six cases on hand. I send you a sample of it. I presume if the sugar was imported direct in large quantities, and a tinman kept constantly employed on the spot making tins when there was no canning to be done, it could be put up at much less explaining that such a document would cost. In Kona the guavas are generally in season in April and October, which is before and after the season of the pineapples, so that both might be worked by the same staff.

SAMUEL H. DAVIS. Kealakekua, Hawaii, Nov. 26.

At an examination for admission to the Free College, New York, seventyeight per cent of the girls seeking admission passed a creditable examination, while only forty-eight per cent. of the boy applicants were able to enter. The teacher ascribed this remarkable difference to the fact that the boys used tobacco-the girls did not.

the Campagnac colliery, at Avignon, from fire-damp. The pit was full of men | law had had full time to show results, it at the time. Seventy-three bodies have was only \$197. In Wilson county in been found by a searching party. 1877, with saloons at full blast, the felony been made, and the attorney, then and | been found by a searching party.

O LUSO HAWAIIANO.

More of its Vagaries-Editorials on the Advertiser and the Honolulu Rifles -Something for Somebody to Explain.

The following are translations from O Luso Hawaiiano of November 24th. As to the one on this paper, its misrepresentations are too obvious to require designation. With regard to the Rifles the complaint is one that the management of the shooting competition and the commander of the corps can hardly afford to ignore, but there is no excuse for our Portuguese contemporary's self stultifying efforts to stir up in his countrymen the very prejudices of "race and religion" which he complains about.

THE ADVERTISER.

Somebody translated our article of Saturday, under the title "Portuguese Ship of War," and caused it to be published in the Advertiser, organ and (according to what they say) property of the existing Government. The article gave pain to the Advertiser, and this in the midst of its agony exclaimed that the article was calculated to keep alive in the minds of the Portuguese the anti-Asiatic feeling, and advised that it would be better to let it be forgotten. It further exclaimed that it knew how strong was the anti-Asiatic feeling in the minds of the Portuguese, but added that this feeling was not justified, etc. So much for the ADVERTISER and the white Asiatics.

What the ADVERTISER said may be summed up thus: first, that it is more and more surprised at the probable defeat in the next electoral campaign. Second, that it wants to deny to the Portuguese the right and the justice of their anti-Asiatic sentiments. There is not a criticism made on our article, as someone in sympathy with the clique of the Advertiser caused to be scattered among some Portuguese, for the purpose of ridiculing what we said, or else from crass misinterpretation of what he tried to read. And, even, granted that the Advertiser did make a criticism, it was not a thing for any patriotic Portuguese to rejoice at, for all know the antagonism of that journal against the Portuguese.

HONOLULU RIFLES. It was Company B that gained the prize offered in the shooting exercise on Friday of last week. We do not wish to say that the Portuguese Company C could have gained the prize, but what we do want to say is that an insult was offered to that patriotic company, by the manner in which the major, or whoever actually directs the battalion, worked against it, leaving it till the end, when the twilight of the approaching night did not permit the mark to be seen.

What is the reason that Company C, being first in number, and third in order of organization, was given the last place, both in the exercise of shooting, on which depended a valuable and honorable prize, and in the arrangement of the battalion during the marching? If the question should be asked of us, we should say without hesitation and without fear of mistake, "simple contempt of the Portuguese."

Without doubt, the members of Company C will know how to be united and how to labor for the improvement of the company, and one day will avenge themselves for the outrage which they have suffered. The basis of our arguments on all the questions with which we have occupied ourselves in this journal, with relation to the Portuguese, is that the Portuguese have to raise themselves and make themselves respected; because as for the other gentlemen, from hostility (rixa) of race and religion alone they intend to humiliate us.

Supreme Court-At Chambers.

TUESDAY, Nov. 27. Equity Division. Before Mr. Justice Preston. H. A. P. Carter vs. Kaaikaula. C. L. Carter for plaintiff; J. L. Kaulukou for defendant. Bill to foreclose a mortgage. Heard, and decision reserved. The mortgage is dated March 3, 1876. and was to secure the payment of \$250 with interest at 10 per cent. per annum, making the amount now due \$564.50.

Before Mr. Justice Dole. S. Kailaa vs. S. M. Kaaukai and others. S. K. Kane for plaintiff; J. M. Poepoe for defendants. Bill to declare a deed a mortgage and cancel it. Monday, Dec. 4th is, by agreement of counsel, appointed for hearing. This is a curious case. Plaintiff, in his bill of complaint, tells of going to a tailor for a coat costing \$16. As he had not the cash, the tailor refused to deliver the garment. Kaaukai, being present, offered to lend the complainant \$20 on the security of land. The offer was accepted, and a deed of the land made by Kailaa to Kaaukai's wife. This deed was absolute in form, but is alleged to have been intended only as a mortgage to secure the debt of \$20, and that there was a verbal understanding to that effect between the parties. When the plaintiff tendered the money and asked the surrender of the deed, the principal defendant refused to do so, and stated that he had sold the land to Mana. The land is claimed to be worth

Probate Division. Before Mr. Justice Preston. Estate Mary F. Lindsay. J. M. Monsarrat, administrator, in person and certain heirs. Ordered that the administrator's accounts be approved, he discharged, and his bond cancelled, and that a distribution of the funds in Court be made in accordance with the Master's report. The sum of \$2,897 is to be distributed among thirteen devisees under the will.

Estate Edward William Purvis. Cecil Brown for proponent. Ordered that the will be admitted to probate, and that letters issue to E. W. Holdsworth, as administrator, with the will annexed, under \$5,000 bond. The will is dated April 22, 1888, appoints no executor, and devises all the testator's property to his brother, R. W. T. Purvis. The property consists of a \$5,000 policy in the New York Life Insurance Company.

Here are some facts from Tennessee, gleaned from the Comptroller's Report: In Benton county the felony cost in 1877, There has been a great explosion in | was \$1,716; in 1878, undr the Four-mile law, it fell to \$486, and in 1882 when the

cost was \$3,595, which the Four-mile law brought down to \$1,007 in 1882. The only saloons not closed out by the law were in Lebanon. She threw up her charter, and so got rid of her saloons, and in 1883 her felony cost was only \$342. But the courts decided that Lebanon had no legal right to thus free herself from the curse; the saloons were re-instated; the result was, the felony cost ran up to \$1,190.

Advertisements.

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A. K. WEIR,

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Tax Collector's Notice!

FOR THE ACCOMMODATION OF TAX PAYERS in this District who cannot conveniently call at the Collector's office during business hours, the office will be open for the receipt of Taxes (in addition to the usual hours during the day), from 7 to 9 o'clock in the evening, from 19th inst., to December 1, 1888, both dates in-Any tax payer in this District who will leave

his name and address at the Collector's office intimating that he desires to pay his taxes, will receive his tax receipt by messenger, as early thereafter as possible, to whom he can give the amount, thereby avoiding the annoyance of delay at the Tax office in waiting for the regular turn.

CHAS. T. GULICK.

Tax Collector, Honolulu, Oahu.

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Planters' Monthly.

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TABLE OF CONtents of the number for November : Notes and Comments.

An Important Discovery. Foreign Sugar Market. Annual Meeting of Planters. Gigantic Irrigation 1 roject. Minutes of Planters' Annual Meeting. Report of Committee on Manufacture of Sugar. Report of Committee on Live Stock. Table of Live Stock Imported into the Hawaiian Kingdom. Table of Grain and Feed Imported.

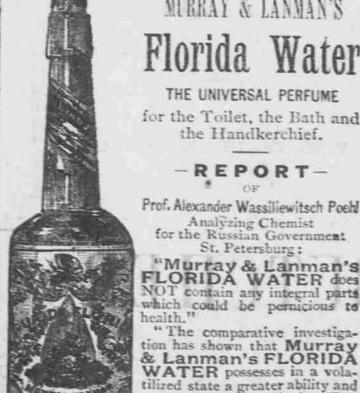
Table of Dairy Products Imported. Report of Committee on Cultivation. Winter Irrigation, Report of Committee on Forestry. Report on the Condition of Live Stock.

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